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Attention: Mail Stop Missing Parts

Dear Sir:

REPLY TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements filed under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated February 17, 2006, a copy of which is enclosed herewith.

Please find enclosed the following:

- (1) Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by the inventor Peter O. PAULSON.
- (2) Assignment in favour of PURE TECHNOLOGIES LTD.
- (3) Fee Transmittal Form.

It is believed that all formalities have now been met and favourable consideration of this application is respectfully requested.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/11/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/11/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/11/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/11/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/11/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 07/11/2005

low.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

\$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number Complete if Known Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). 10/541,890 Application Number Filing Date January 13, 2004 For FY 2006 First Named Inventor Peter O. PAULSON **Examiner Name** Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 Art Unit TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT 1,000.00 Attorney Docket No. 101382/104 METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) Check Credit Card Money Order None Other (please identify): ✓ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 501456 Deposit Account Name: Blake, Cassels & Graydon For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply) Charge fee(s) indicated below Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) Credit any overpayments under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. FEE CALCULATION (All the fees below are due upon filing or may be subject to a surcharge.) 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES **FILING FEES** SEARCH FEES **EXAMINATION FEES Small Entity Small Entity Small Entity Application Type** Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fees Paid (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Utility 300 150 500 200 250 100 Design 200 100 100 50 130 65 Plant 200 100 300 150 160 80 Reissue 300 150 500 250 600 300 200 Provisional 100 0 0 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES Small Entity Fee Description <u>Fee (\$)</u> Fee (\$) Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) 50 25 Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) 200 100 Multiple dependent claims 360 **Total Claims Extra Claims** Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) **Multiple Dependent Claims** - 20 or HP = Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20. 04/19/2006 GFREY1 00000129 501456 10541890 Indep. Claims **Extra Claims** Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) -3 or HP = 130.00 DA HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3. 01 FC:1617 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s). Extra Sheets Total Sheets Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof Fee Paid (\$) Fee (\$) _ / 50 = - 100 = __ (round up to a whole number) x 4. OTHER FEE(S) Fees Paid (\$) Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount) Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): late filing surcharge 130.00

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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.136. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 30 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.